Is the grievance process completed? Yes

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(In Item A below, place the full name of the defendant in the first blank, his/her official positi the second blank, and his/her place of employment in the third blank. Use Item B for the napositions and places of employment of any additional defendants.)

A. Defendant Mr. Lindsey

as Associate Warden at united States Pententian Lewisburg

B. Additional defendants Mrs. T. Worm is a STS Lieutenant at the

united States Pententian Lewisburg Pa. Mr. D. Emory

is the Disciplinas hearing officer at united States

Pententian Lewisburg Pa and unknown Officers

IV. Statement of Claim

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(State here as briefly as possible the facts of your case. Describe how each defendant is invoincluding dates and places. Do not give any legal arguments or cite any cases or statutes. A extra sheets if necessary.)

- 1. That on march 3, 2000 I was accounted by Unknown

 Officers while I was hand and Feels Cuffed to a

 bed. in the special housing Unit. at USP Lewisburg I

 was hit many times in the back of my head and other

 Parts of my body and the diving room.
- 2. Mis J. Morin, STS. Lieutenant Filed two fabricating incident reports on me dated 4-14-2000 772556 and reuri of Same incident report 7-12-2000 797330 I have be Placed On disciplinary Segregation etc for these Fabricated Obtruded reports, lost of good time etc.
 - The Video Survillance Cameras in The Immades diving room on the date of March 3, 2000, Will show that I did no assaulted associate warden Lindsey. The Cameras Will Show that I was the one assaulted in the Immate diving room and the Special housing unit. MR. D. Emory reruse to acknowledge Bop Violation and made untrue Statement in DHO Peports, Calling me a homo sexual

V. - Relief

(State briefly exactly what you want the court to do for you. Make no legal arguments. Cite cases or statutes.)

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- 3. Five million dollars 5,000,000, for pain and Suffering. Five million dollars,000,000, for violation of Plaintiffs Constitutional Rights. To be free from un-necessary use of force and Equal protection of the law. That the Plaintiff receive medical treatment for injuries, suffer by Plaintiff

 Medical Treatment for injuries, Suffer by Plaintiff

Signed this 25 day of August 2000, 19.

(Signature of Plaintiff)

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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Thornton Vilindsoy et al

- 6. MR. Lindsey befor march 3, 2000 when was the last time befor that date did you answer to a body help call date time place cause
- 7. Did you and other Staff Member at the USP Lewisburg have any Knowledge of Thornton and Taylor Fighting each other on March 1, 2000 befor the March 3, Incident.
- 8. Did Staff lock down the institution on march 1, 2000 and talked to each "Immates at USP Lewisburg where no other Immates Could hear what another immede Said
- 9. When Staff member at USP. Lewisburg on march 1, 2000 talked to all the immodes there. Did any immode inform Staff that Thornton and Taylor was Fighting each other.
- 10. Did inmate that worked withinmate Thornton & Taylor.
 In Form any Staff member on march 1, 2000 that Taylor and
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- 11. Is it tore that Staff allow immade Thornton and Taylor to Fight and did nothing
- 12. MR, Light Lindsey is it true that you and other Staff Member at USP Lewisburg Knew that a Fight was going to take place on march 3, 2000 between Taylor and Thornton and Taylor Co-defendant.
- 13. Lieutenant J. Morin 1s it a fact that Thornton never told you

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FR.C.P. Rule 33. Defendant Shall answer Fully under oath Separately to each questions within 30 days after Service of Interrogatories

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PART B - RESPONSE

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DATE: August 1, 2000

DAVID M. RARDIN Regional Director

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A. Advanced written notice of charge (copy of Incident Report) was given to inmate on										
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The inmate indicated he understood his rights and was ready to proceed with the hearing. He had one document for the DHO to consider. The inmate testified he is not guilty. He told me (DHO) to look at the camera. I advised the inmate in advance of the hearing that I did view the video surveillance of the dining room on the day of the incident. Specifically, after looking at the camera I was unable to discern with any certainty what his actions were, as he had been taken to the ground and there were numerous staff in the area. Accordingly, there was no clear vantage point from the camera to depict particularly what he did subsequent to being assaulted by two other inmates. He indicated he didn't really do nothing. The only thing he remembers is falling out of his chair, nothing else. He had no evidence for the DHO to consider. The inmate made no complaints of procedural errors during the hearing.										
C. Witness(es):	,	<u> </u>	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			т		 -		
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	2. The following persons were called as witnesses at this hearing and each witnesses' name, title, reg number and statement as appropriate.		red	. (Incl	.ude
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V. SPECIFIC EVIDENCE RELIED ON TO SUPPORT FINDINGS (Physical evidence, observations, written documents, etc.)

The DHO finds Thornton guilty of the offense of Conduct which Disrupts, most like Assault, Code 101. This decision is based upon the written account of the reporting officer which indicates at 1:30 p.m. on 4-14-00, an SIS investigation concluded that on 3-3-00 at approximately 6:45 a.m., Associate Warden Bindsey was attempting to gain control of Inmate Thornton during a fight in the dining hall. While Thornton was pinned to the ground by Mr. Lindsey, Thornton continued to struggle even after numerous staff attempted to control the situation. During the struggle, Mr. Lindsey felt a shooting pain in his left index finger. This injury was a direct result of Thornton struggling with staff. Upon reporting to the Urgent Care Room after the right, Mr. Lindsey was examined and an x-ray of his left index finger was taken and Mr. Lindsey was treated for a broken left index finger.

Also relied upon by the DHO are the documents listed in the Documentary Evidence Section which support and corroborate the reporting officer's account of the incident. A review of the documentation in this case reveals that on March 3, 2000, at approximately 6:45 a.m, while serving the breakfast meal, staff observed Inmates Thornton, Taylor #18115-018 and Vieux #18140-018 engaged in a physical altercation. Assistance was called and responding staff attempted to separate the three inmates. While staff were attempting to separate and restrain the inmates, Thornton became combative by physically struggling and resisting staff who were attempting to restrain him. At that point it became necessary for staff to carry Thornton to the Special Housing Unit. Subsequently, Thornton was placed in four point hard restraints due to his combative behavior.

Inmate Thornton was examined and treated for small cuts on his forehead, left hand and

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lower lip area. Inmate Vieux was escorted to the Health Services Unit and treated for a small cut on his left wrist. Inmate Taylor was examined and no injuries were noted.

The investigation in this case reveals that the assault on Thornton was the result of an altercation he had previously on 3-1-00 with Inmate Taylor in the Mechanical Services Department which was undetected by staff.

As a result of this incident, Mr. Lindsey sustained a broken finger. According to the memo of Mr. Densberger in this case, he responded to the incident. He observed numerous staff members attempting to restrain Thornton along the west wall of the dining room. He obtained a set of leg irons from Control Center and placed them on the struggling Thornton and he was carried out of the dining room. According to Mr. Densberger, Thornton was carried to the SHU holding cell and placed in four point restraints due to his continual struggling with staff.

I have considered the written statement supplied by the inmate in this case which indicates in pertinent part that he didn't assault anyone. He further indicates he did not receive a detention order, nor was he advised that the incident report was being forwarded for consideration for prosecution. He indicates there was a delay in receiving the incident report. The DHO notes the inmate has raised no contentions whatsoever how these delays in any prohibited him from presenting a defense in this action. The record reveals the case was referred for criminal prosecution on 3-3-00 and was released for administrative processing on 5-29-00. According to policy, staff cannot process incident reports while they are pending criminal prosecution unless given permission by the U. S. Attorney's Office. Again, I find no prejudice from the delay of the delivery or the processing of the report. The referral to the criminal prosecutors in this case tolls the time limitations in the processing of the report.

After reviewing the actions in this case, I believe they best described the conduct of Conduct which Disrupts, most like Assault, Code 101. While Thornton was initially assaulted by two other inmates, staff attempted to break up the altercation. The other two inmates who were the assailants complied with staff. Thornton continued to fight vigorously with staff and it resulted in the injury to a staff member. In addition to the inmate causing injury to staff, it is also noted that this happened in the main dining room during the feeding of mainline. This in and of itself could lead to a major disruption in the institution had other inmates decided to involve themselves in the misconduct. Specifically, after staff attempted to disengage Thornton from other inmates, he continued to fight with them (staff). He was fully combative to the point where when he was removed from the dining room, he had to be taken down and placed and four point restraints. Had other inmates come to his aid, it would have jeopardized the lives and safety of all staff and other inmates in the dining room, thereby placing the lives of staff and inmates alike at risk. The greater weight of the evidence supports this finding.

VI. SANCTION OR ACTION TAKEN

CODE: 199/101

Disciplinary Segregation: 60 days

Disciplinary Transfer

Loss of Commissary Privilege: 180 days Loss of Telephone Privilege: 180 days Loss of Visiting Privilege: 180 days

VII. REASON FOR SANCTION OR ACTION TAKEN

The rationale for the sanctions imposed in this case is to punish the inmate for his misconduct which is viewed as having an adverse affect on the security and good order of the institution. I believe that stringent sanctions, to include the loss of privilege, are the only viable sanctions which are significant enough to curb the inmate's future

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misconduct. No other sanctions are	seen to b	e effectiv	e end	ough to fa	cilita	te this task.
VIII. APPEAL RIGHTS: The inmate has been advised of the findings, specific evidence relied on, action and reasons for the action. The inmate has been advised of his right to appeal this action within 20 calendar days under the Administrative Remedy Procedure. A copy of this report has been given to the inmate.						
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IX. DISCIPLINE HEARING OFFICER			/			
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Incident Report



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PART I	- INCIDENT REPORT	······································	
2. NAME OF INMATE	3. REGISTER NUMBER	4. DATE OF INCIDENT	5. TIME
Douglas Thorton	37461-118	3/3/00	Approx.
6. PLACE OF INCIDENT	7. ASSIGNMENT	8. UNIT	
Dining Hall	UNASSG.	Unit 2	
9. INCIDENT Conduct Which disrupts, most li	ke Assault		10. CODE 101/199
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Admin. Remedy No.: 216378-F1

Part B - Response

REQUEST FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDY

In your Request for Administrative Remedy, you allege that staff in the Special Housing Unit are providing you with filthy mops to clean your cell and sliding them through the food slot, thereby causing contamination. You request staff to place a trash bag over the food slot for removal of the mop.

Our investigation of your complaint reveals that you are currently housed in the Special Housing Unit. The Special Housing Unit contains a number of inmates with numerous security concerns. Accordingly, ensuring that security is maintained is a priority. The investigation revealed that all mop heads are removed on a weekly basis and sent to the laundry for cleaning. Once mop heads are no longer serviceable, they are exchanged through the Safety Department and replaced with new ones. Due to security constraints, mop heads are passed through the cell wickets. The water for the buckets is changed regularly so the mops are clean as they possibly can be. Our investigation further reveals you are also supplied with cleanser. Accordingly, after you mop your floor, you have the ability to clean the cell wicket. The issuance of trash bags to each inmate is not a viable option due to security concerns. Specifically, these items can be easily misused to interfere with the security and good order of the Special Housing Unit. Finally, is noted that if you clean the cell wicket after you mop your floor, no contamination should occur to any food items which you receive through the wicket. Specifically, with proper sanitation and due the fact food items are passed through to you in your cell in a self-contained container. These containers are complete with a cover. Accordingly, no contamination should occur to your food.

In view of the foregoing, we find no basis to your complaint and your request has been DENIED. If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the Regional Director, United States Federal Bureau of Prisons, Northeast Regional Office, United States Customs House - Seventh Floor, Second and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia, PA 19106, within twenty (20) calendar days from the date fo this response.

Date

Donald Romine, Warden

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REQUEST FOR A JUNISTRATIVE REMEDY

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An investigation into your appeal failed to find any evidence to support your contention that the Warden made such a statement. He specifically denies making such a statement. Accordingly, your appeal is denied.

If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Prisons. Your appeal must be received in the Administrative Remedy Section, Office of General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Prisons, 320 First Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20534, within 30 calendar days of the date of this response.

DATE: August 1, 2000

DAVID M. RARDIN Regional Director

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Part B - Response

REQUEST FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDY

In your Request for Administrative Remedy, you allege that staff in the Special Housing Unit are providing you with filthy mops to clean your cell and sliding them through the food slot, thereby causing contamination. You request staff to place a trash bag over the food slot for removal of the mop.

Our investigation of your complaint reveals that you are currently housed in the Special Housing Unit. The Special Housing Unit contains a number of inmates with numerous security concerns. Accordingly, ensuring that security is maintained is a priority. The investigation revealed that all mop heads are removed on a weekly basis and sent to the laundry for cleaning. Once mop heads are no longer serviceable, they are exchanged through the Safety Department and replaced with new ones. Due to security constraints, mop heads are passed through the cell wickets. The water for the buckets is changed regularly so the mops are clean as they possibly can be. Our investigation further reveals you are also supplied with cleanser. Accordingly, after you mop your floor, you have the ability to clean the cell wicket. The issuance of trash bags to each inmate is not a viable option due to security concerns. Specifically, these items can be easily misused to interfere with the security and good order of the Special Housing Unit. Finally, is noted that if you clean the cell wicket after you mop your floor. no contamination should occur to any food items which you receive through the wicket. Specifically, with proper sanitation and due the fact food items are passed through to you in your cell in a self-contained container. These containers are complete with a cover. Accordingly, no contamination should occur to your food.

In view of the foregoing, we find no basis to your complaint and your request has been DENIED. If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the Regional Director, United States Federal Bureau of Prisons, Northeast Regional Office, United States Customs House - Seventh Floor, Second and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia, PA 19106, within twenty (20) calendar days from the date fo this response.

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INMATE NAME: Thornton, Douglas

REG. #: 37461-118 Admin. #215577-F1

In your Request for Administrative Remedy dated June 14, 2000, you claim that Special Housing Unit staff are ignoring your numerous requests to utilize the unit law library.

A review was conducted of the list for the Special Housing Unit Law Library requests. It was found that you were afforded the opportunity on three separate occasions. On May 30, 2000, you did in fact use the unit law library for almost four hours. In addition, you again utilized the law library on both June 8, 2000, and June 20, 2000, for a total of six hours.

Due to the fact that you are housed in a unit with a large number of other inmates, we must afford all inmates the opportunity to use the library within the unit. You are in fact the one inmate who has been given the most access to the library. Correctional Staff have afforded you numerous opportunities and will continue to ensure that your requests will be met.

Based on the above, the relief you request has been DENIED. If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the Regional Director, United States Federal Bureau of Prisons, Northeast Regional Office, United States Customs House - Seventh Floor, Second and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia, PA 19106, within twenty (20) calendar days from the date of this response.

Date

Donald Romine, Warden

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If attachments are needed, submit four copies. One copy of the completed BP-DIR-9 including any attachments must be submitted with this appeal.

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Part A—REASON FOR APPEAL

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Part B - Response

Your appeal concerns the frequency of your access to the law library in Special Housing Unit (SHU) at USP Lewisburg. Specifically, you contend that you made numerous requests to visit the law library and that only three requests were granted.

Program Statement 1315.06, Inmate Legal Activities, states that a Warden shall provide a means of access to legal materials and an opportunity to prepare legal documents to inmates confined in SHU, with consideration of the needs of other inmates and the availability of staff and other resources. The record in SHU at USP Lewisburg revealed that you made five requests to visit the SHU law library between May 30, 2000 and July 29, 2000. Three visits to the law library were granted; you refused to go to the library on one occasion; and the last request, July 17, 2000 was mooted by your July 19, 2000 transfer to USP Allenwood. The record does not support your allegation that you made fifteen requests to visit the law library. Accordingly, your appeal is denied.

If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Prisons. Your appeal must be received in the Administrative Remedy Section, Office of General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Prisons, 320 First Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20534, within 30 calendar days of the date of this response.

Date: August 15, 2000

DAVID/M. RARDIN Regional Director

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Part B - Response

You appeal the May 9, 2000 decision of the Discipline Hearing Officer (DHO) at USP Lewisburg, finding that you committed the prohibited act of Threatening Another, Code 203, Incident Report No. 775538. You contend that your comments were intended to inform your staff representative that you were going to file a grievance on the Lieutenant. You seek to have the disciplinary action expunged.

The record reveals the DHO determined you threatened a staff member based upon the following. The reporting staff member stated that after being appointed by the Warden as your staff representative on another incident report, he went to meet with you at cell number 319 in the Special Housing Unit on April 25, At that time, you claimed that the Lieutenant who wrote the incident report for fighting was lying because you never admitted to fighting, and that you had to do what you had to do The reporting staff member asked you what you meant, and you replied that you were from the old school and that you would take care of her in your own way. The reporting staff member then told you he could not be your staff representative while you were threatening another staff member, and you stated, "I'm going to be punching on some motherf--kers around here." You told the DHO that you were on medication at the time of the incident, but did not cuss or make threatening remarks. You said you were going to take administrative action against the Lieutenant. was reasonable for the DHO to find that you threatened a staff member based upon the language you used with the reporting staff member.

The record in this case reflects substantial compliance with Program Statement 5270.07, Inmate Discipline. The decision of the DHO was based upon the greater weight of evidence and the sanctions imposed were consistent with the severity level of the prohibited act. The sanctions imposed, to wit: a forfeiture of 60 days statutory good time, a disciplinary transfer, 30 days disciplinary segregation, and a restriction of your telephone privilege for 90 days were within the maximum authorized for your offense and were not disproportionate to your misconduct. Accordingly, your appeal is denied.

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If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Prisons. Your appeal must be received in the Administrative Remedy Section, Office of General Counsel, Federal Bureau of Prisons, 320 First Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20534, within 30 calendar days of the date of this response.

Date: June 30, 2000

DAVID (M. RARDIN Regional Director

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Incident Report

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Part B - Response

You appeal the May 9, 2000 decision of the Discipline Hearing Officer (DHO) at USP Lewisburg, finding that you committed the prohibited act of Fighting, Code 201, Incident Report No. 772556. You contend staff are lying because you never admitted to fighting, you didn't receive a detention order, and you were taking a strong medication at the time. You seek to have the disciplinary action expunged.

The record reveals you may not have had adequate notice of the charge. Accordingly, this disciplinary action is being remanded to be rewritten and reheard. You will be notified of the time and date for the new hearing. To the extent noted, your appeal is partially granted.

Date: July 6, 2000

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From: Thornton Douglas H STYLLING SHU-Z36 USP-Lew LAST NAME, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL REG. NO. UNIT INSTITUTION

Part A-REASON FOR APPEAL DHO, appeal Not 772556/Remedy Not 214286-R1.

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Administrative Remedy No. 214286-A1 Part B - Response

You appeal the DHO's decision of May 9, 2000, Fighting, Code 201, and the Regional Director's decision to remand your case back to the institution for a rehearing.

We concur with the Regional Director's decision to remand Incident Report No. 772556 back to the institution for a rehearing. The case was remanded back to the institution to be rewritten and reheard. Records indicate that the incident report was reheard on July 18, 2000 and you were sanctioned. If you wish to appeal the rehearing decision, you should reinstate any contentions you have through the submission of a Regional Administrative Remedy Appeal (BP-10) to the Regional Director. This response is provided for informational purposes only.

1 26, 2018 Date

Harrell

Watts, Administrator

National Inmate Appeals

ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDY RESPONSE

Admin. Remedy No.: 215976-F1

Part B - Response

In your Request for Administrative Remedy, you state that you cannot buy lotion or shampoo from the Commissary because you were sanctioned by the Disciplinary Hearing Officer (DHO) with one hundred and twenty (120) days of Disciplinary Segregation and six months of Commissary Restriction. You further state that you need lotion for a skin condition.

The use of the Commissary is a privilege and is not a specific right, written or implied, of any inmate. Program Statement (P. S.) 5270.07 addresses sanctions which may be imposed upon an inmate who has been found guilty of committing a prohibited act by either the Disciplinary Hearing Officer (DHO) or the Unit Discipline Committee (UDC). Sanctions may be imposed for the loss of privileges for a specified period of time, such as the use of the Commissary, Movies, Recreation, etc.

Additionally, the Warden of the Institution has the authority to develop local limitations on the quantity and type of personal property allowed in Special Housing Units, to include Administrative Detention. P. S. 5270.07 specifically states that personal property <u>may be limited or withheld</u> for reasons of security, fire safety or housekeeping, and documented in the Unit records.

Your claim that you have a skin condition should be appropriately directed to the Health Services Department. If the skin condition is a legitimate medical problem, it should be documented in your medical records.

Based on the above, the relief you request has been DENIED. If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the Regional Director, United States Federal Bureau of Prisons, Northeast Regional Office, United States Customs House - Seventh Floor, Second and Chestnut streets, Philadelphia, Pa. 19106 within twenty (20) calendar days from the date of this response.

Date

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